

# **INTERNATIONAL SYMPOSIUM AND WORKSHOP ON ASTROCHEMISTRY**

Understanding extraterrestrial molecular complexity  
through experiments and observations



## **Experimental Workshop on Astrochemistry**

**Ionization Sources and Detectors for Spacial  
Environments Simulation Experiments**

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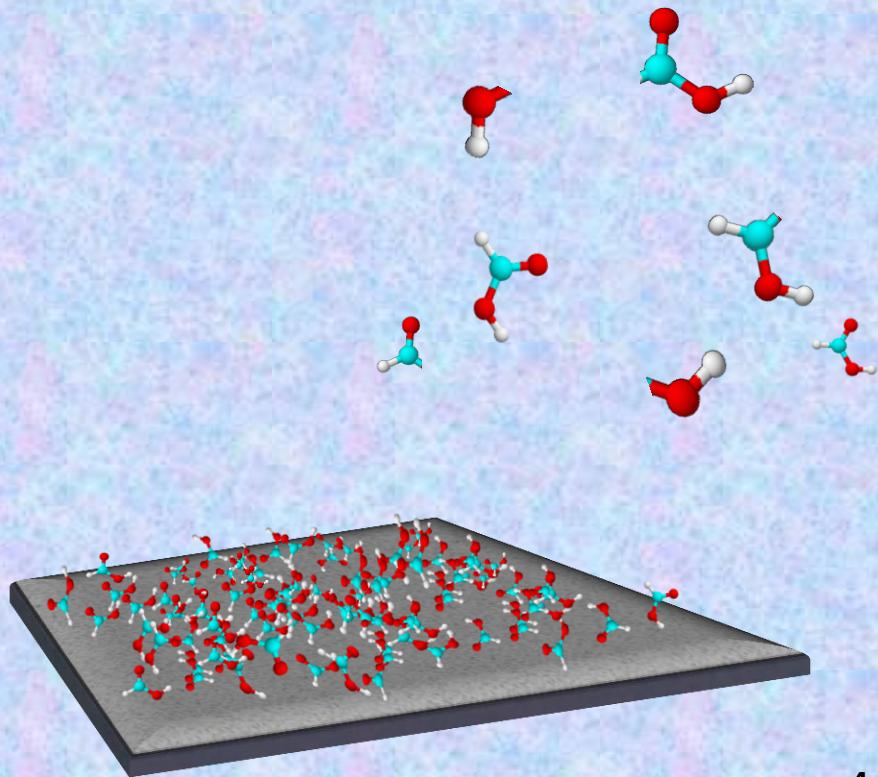
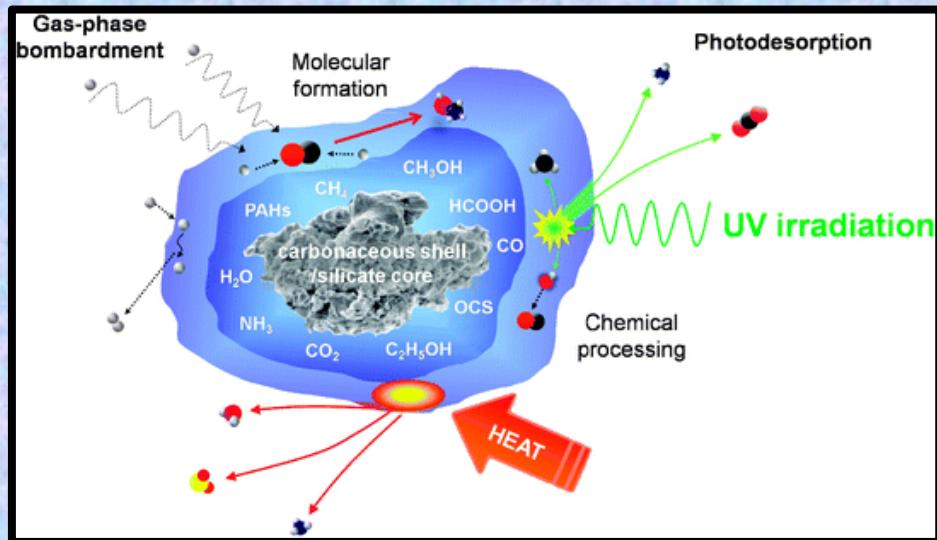
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**05/07/2016**

# Interestellar Medium Simulation

- O conhecimento dos processos de dissociação molecular, excitação e de dessorção de espécies induzidos por radiólise são de extrema importância para a compreensão da química no MI.
- A ocorrência de tais processos nos mantos de gelo astrofísico que recobrem os grãos de poeira interestelar podem levar à formação de moléculas orgânicas mais complexas.
- A quantificação dos fragmentos gerados nestes processos é importante para a atualização e aperfeiçoamento dos modelos astroquímicos vigentes.



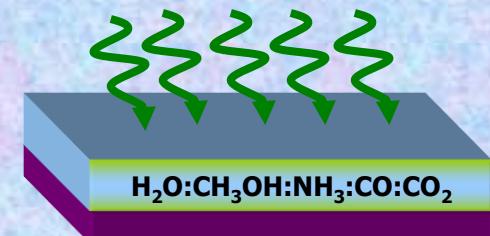


## Typical Projectiles Used :

- **Photons (6 to 2000 eV) [CHOMPS Region]**

(UV and Soft X-Rays)

(Excitation of Valence Shells and Inner Shells)

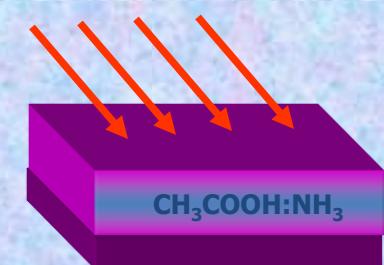


Muñoz Caro *et al.*, Nature **416** (2002) 403

- **Electrons (low and high energy range)**

Low Energy – DEA

High Energy – Dissociation by Ionization and Scattering

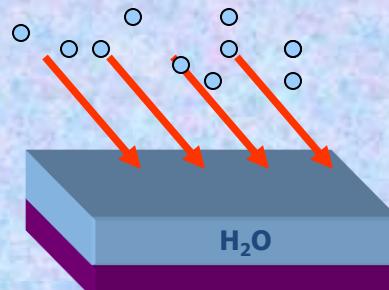


Lafosse *et al.*, PCCP **8** (2006) 5564

- **Ions**

Simulate Solar Wind Effects – KeV region

Simulate Cosmic Ray Effects – MeV Region

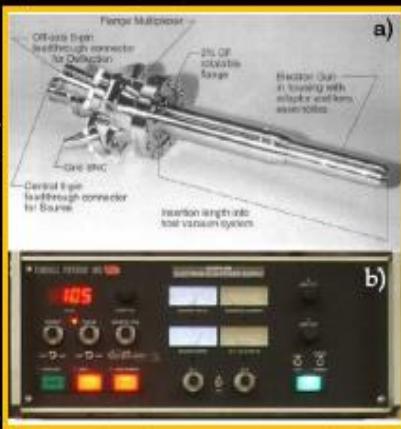


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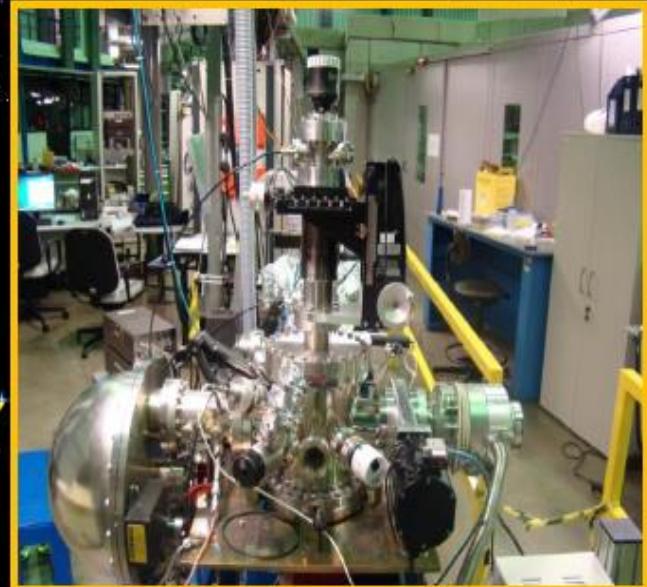
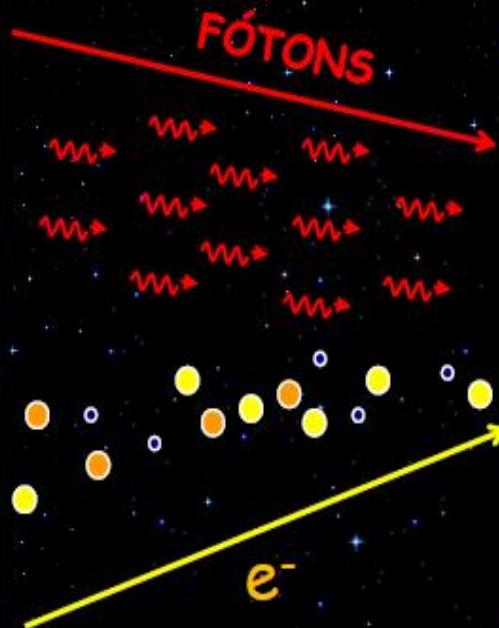
# Simulação do MI em Laboratório



Radiação Síncrotron



Canhão de Elétrons

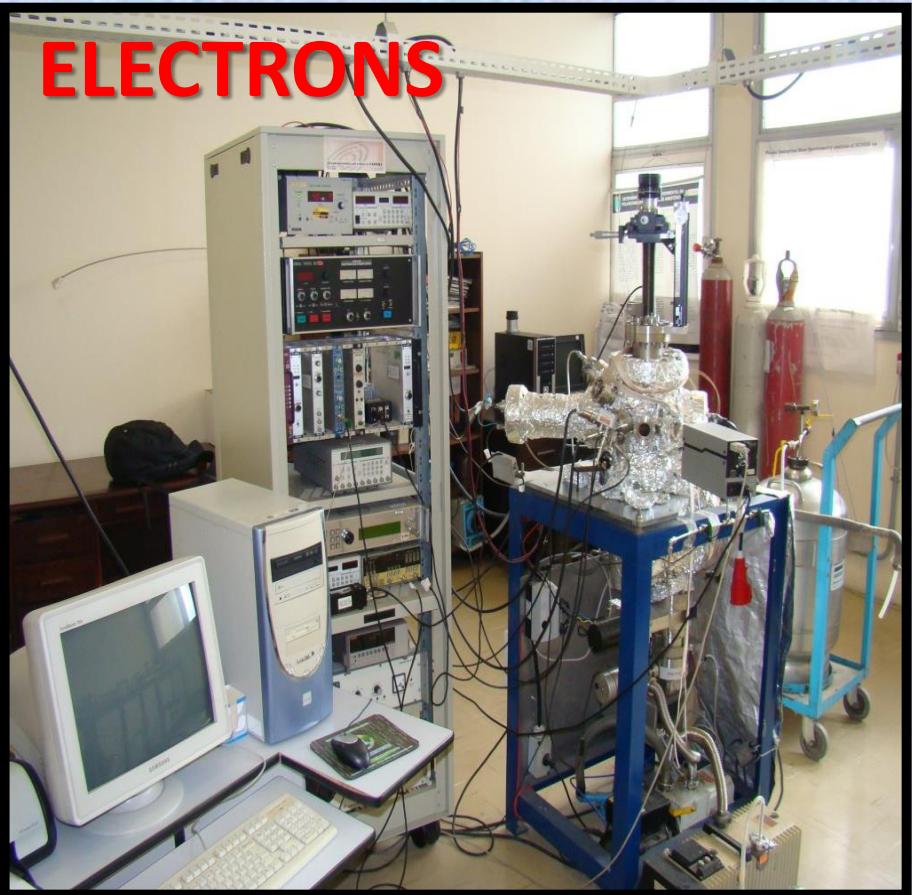


Câmara de Ultra-alto Vácuo

As estrelas são substituídas por radiação síncrotron, fontes radioativas geradoras de íons energéticos e feixes de elétrons.

# Instalações Utilizadas (Facilities Used)

**ELECTRONS**



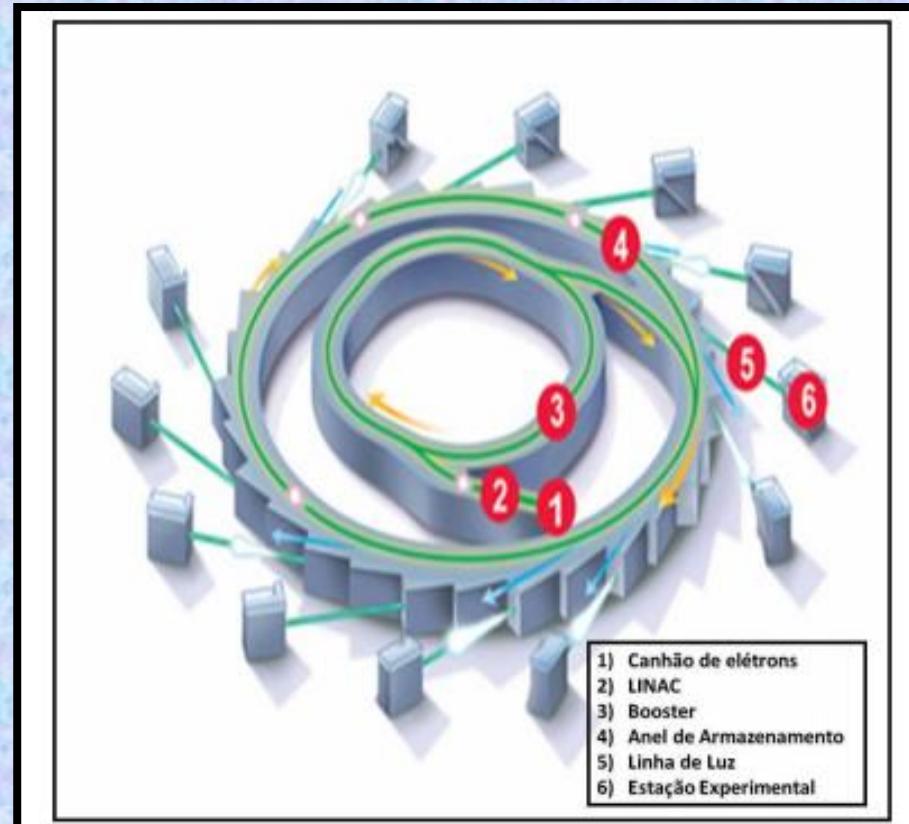
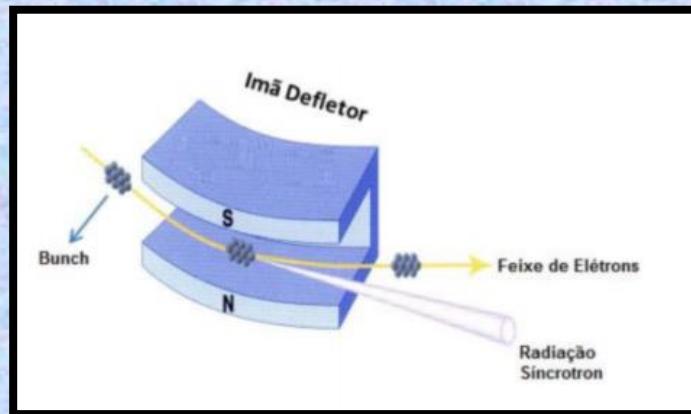
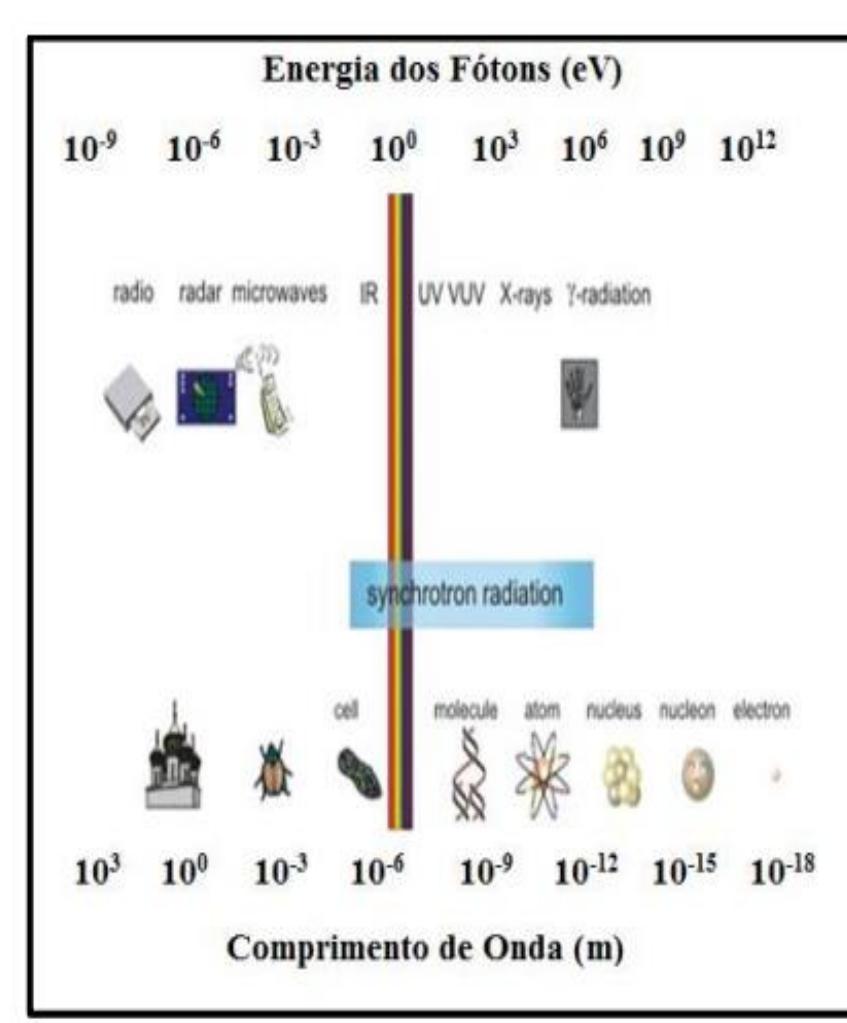
**PHOTONS**



**Laboratório de Química de Superfícies  
(LAQUIS)**  
Rio de Janeiro, RJ  
IQ-UFRJ  
Experimentos de ESID

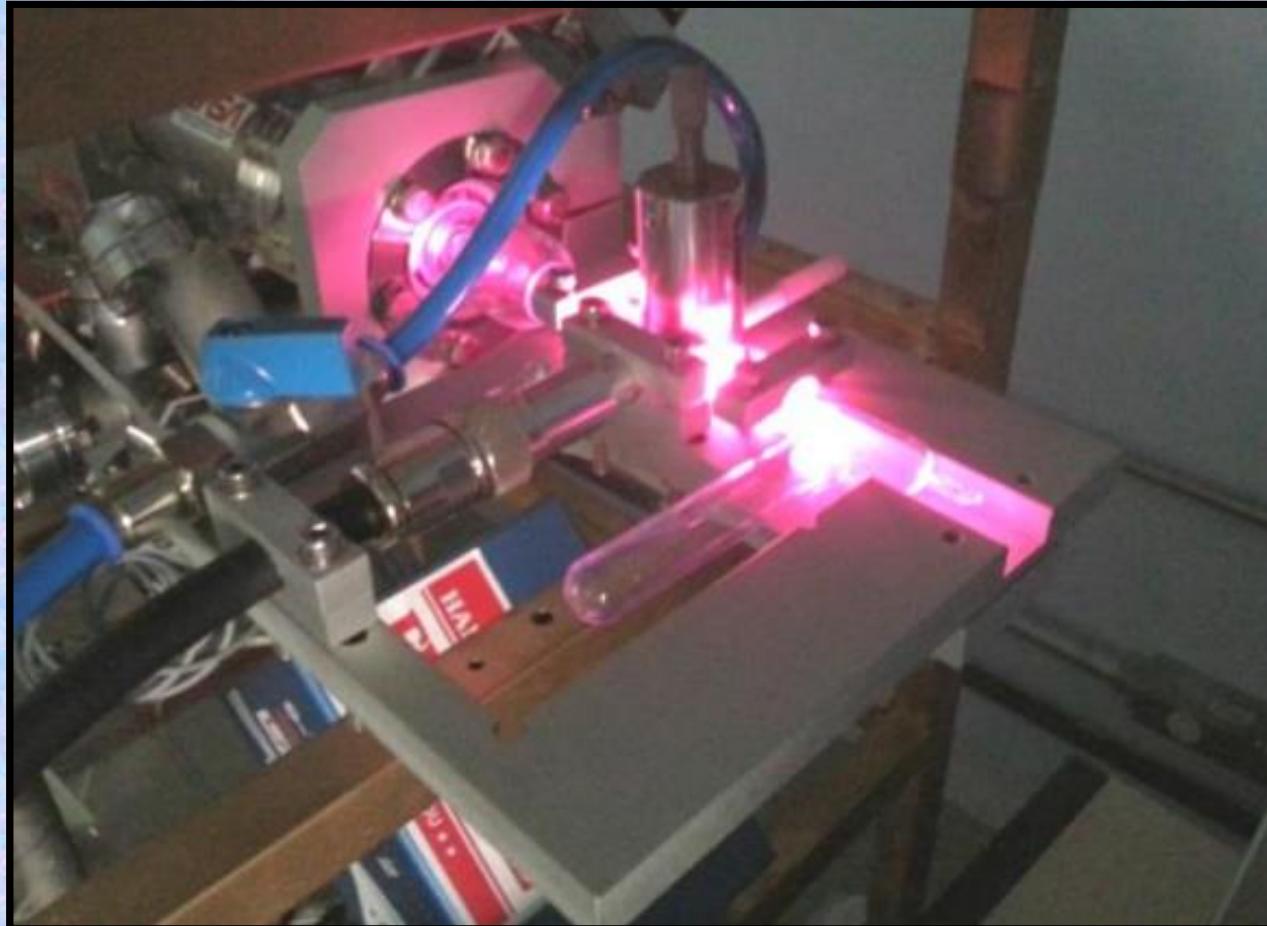
**Laboratório Nacional de Luz Síncrotron  
(LNLS)**  
Campinas, SP  
Linha SGM (Raios X Moles)  
(250-1000 eV)  
Experimentos de PSID e de Fotoestabilidade

# A Radiação Síncrotron (Synchrotron Radiation)



# For UV and X-Ray Photons

- You Can also Use: Discharge Lamps
- But, Synchrotron Light is a Tunable Source!!!



UV Lamp – Sergio Pilling's Lab  
LASA - UNIVAP

# Lower Energy Ions



He Ion Source



France



Microwave  
Discharge  
Devices

# High Energy Ions

## Van de Graaff Accelerator



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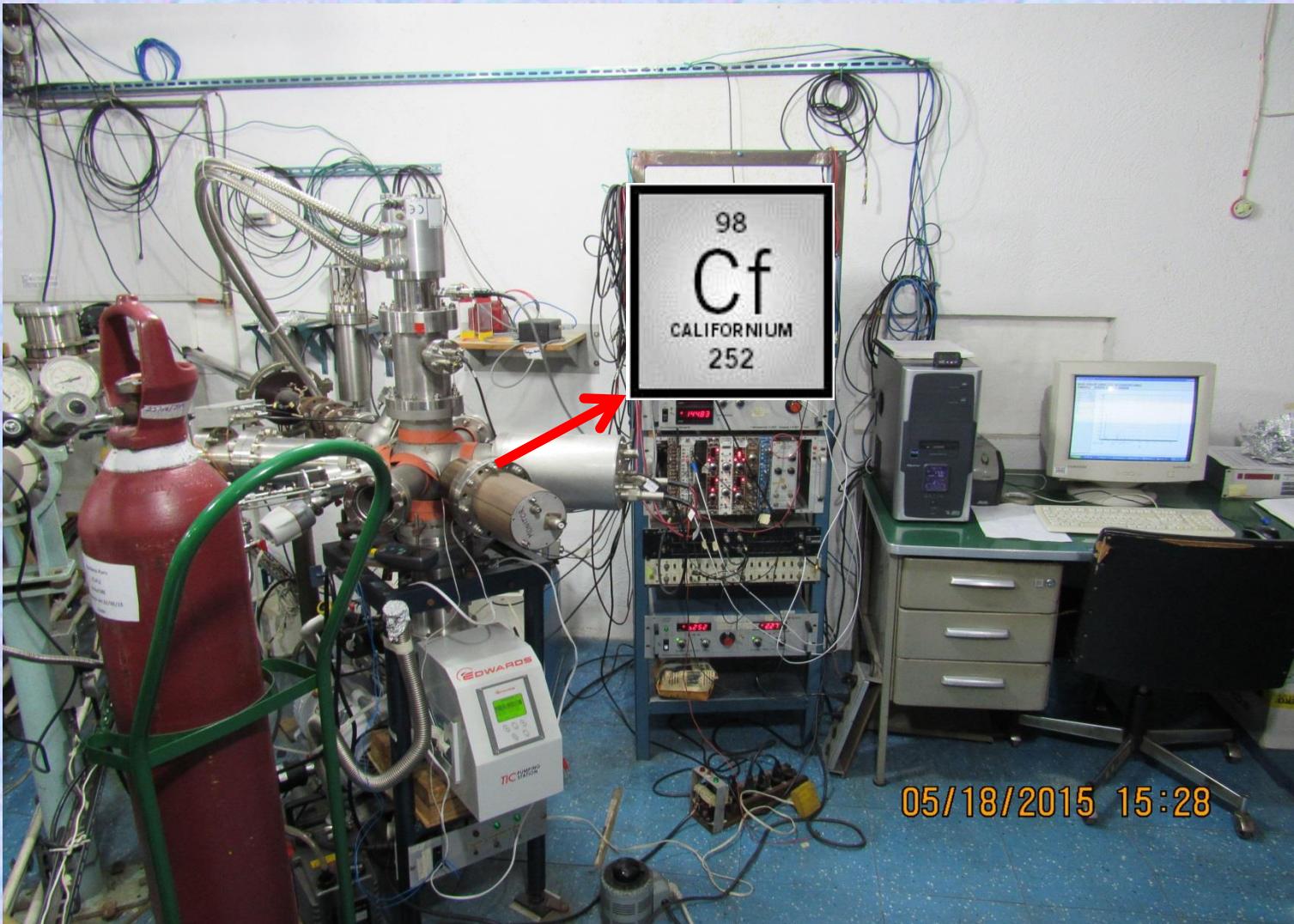
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Van de Graaff Laboratory (VDG)  
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# OTHER ION SOURCES

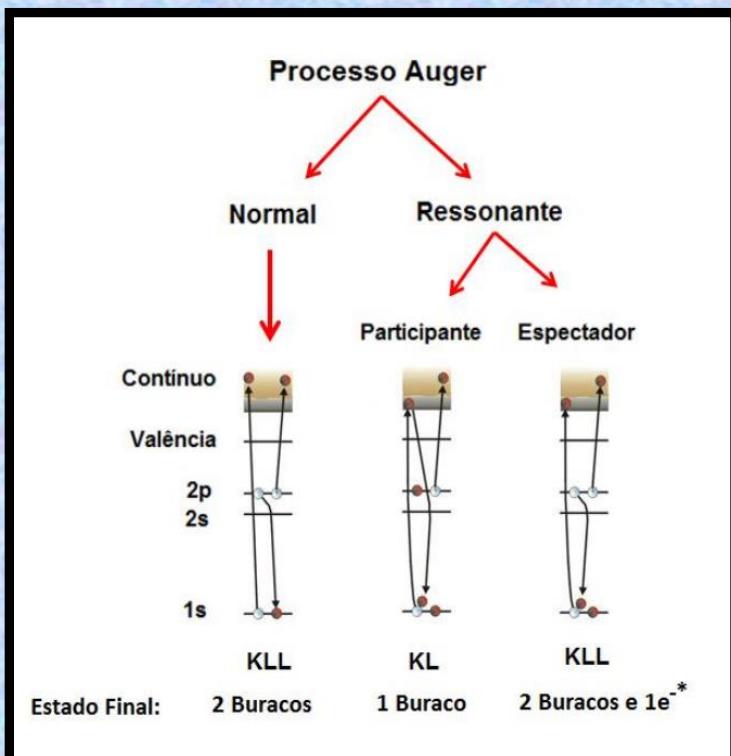
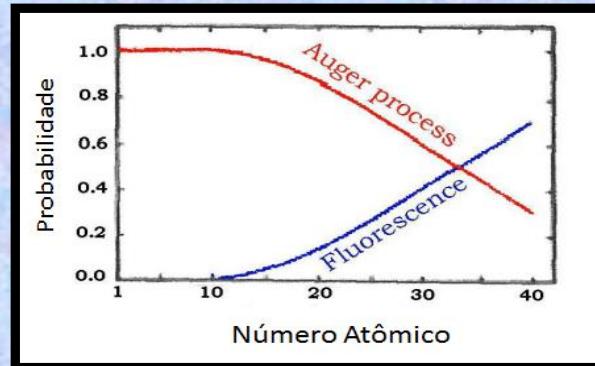
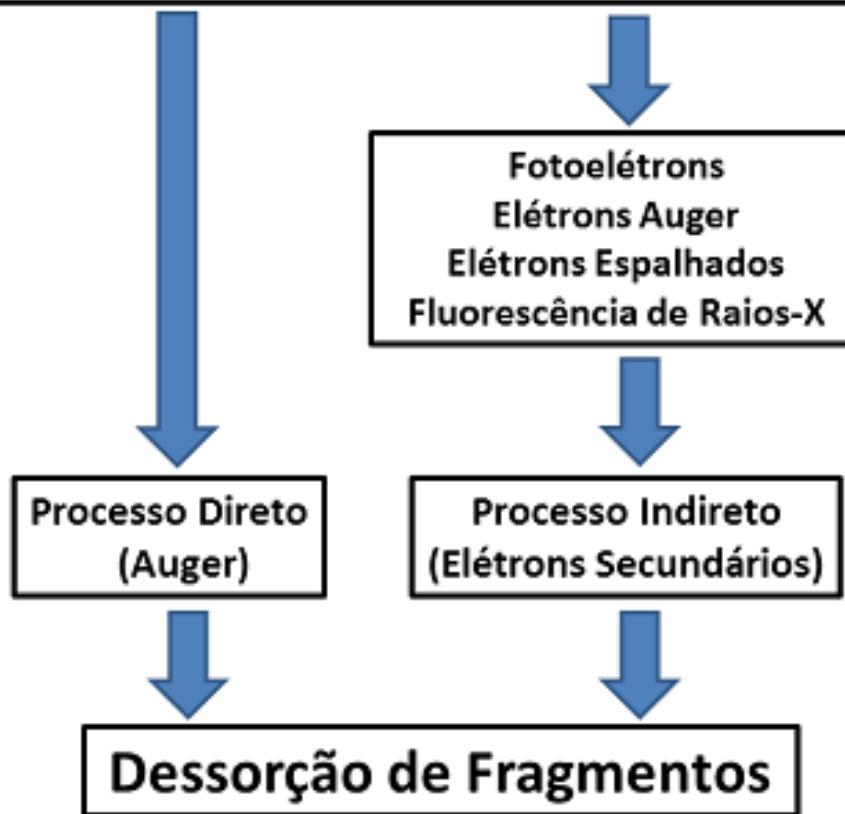


Simulação de Raios Cósmicos: Câmara PDMS Criogênica  
Energia dos FF's : 65 MeV – Strong  $\alpha$  emission

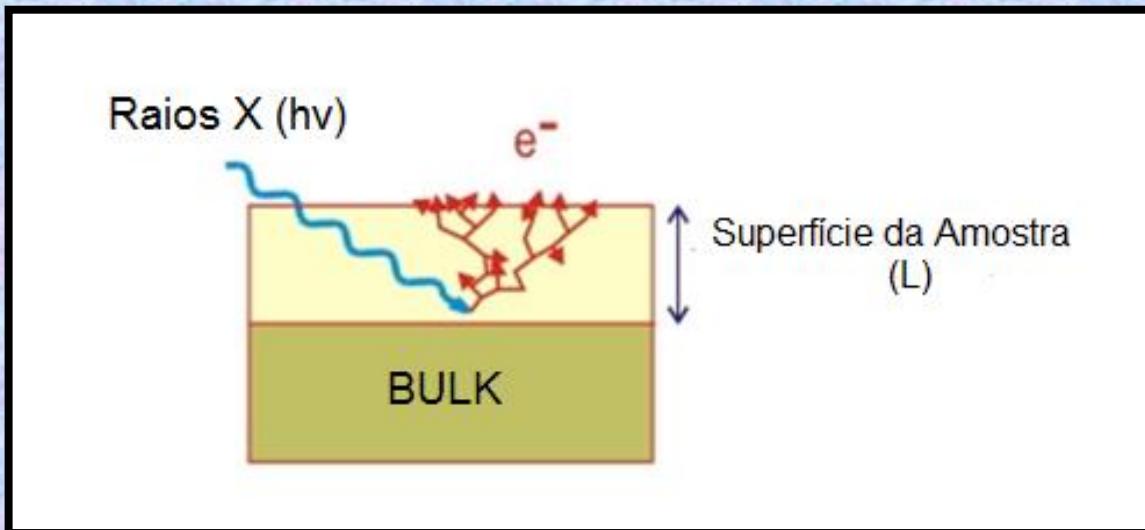


# Physical Chemical Processes

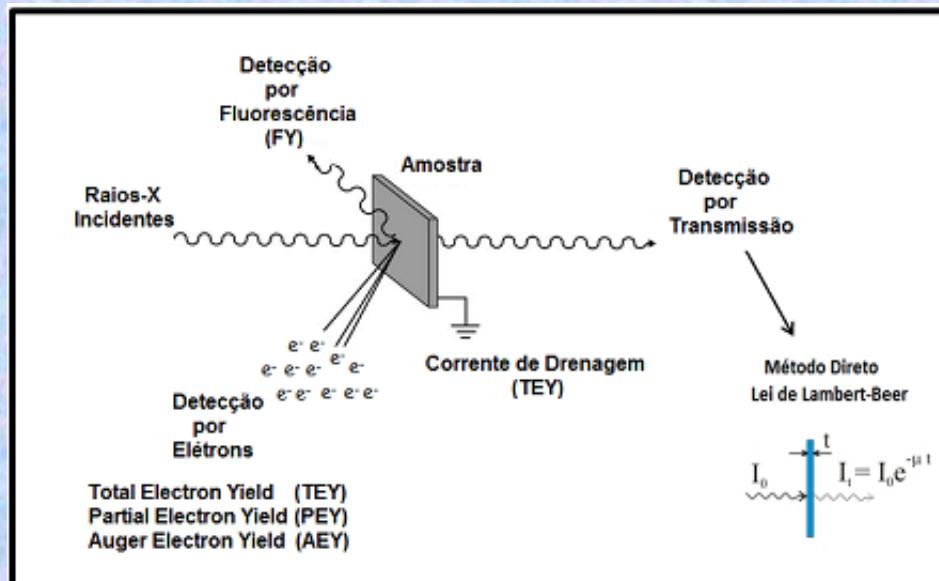
Impacto de Elétrons Energéticos  
ou  
Fótons de Raios-X Moles



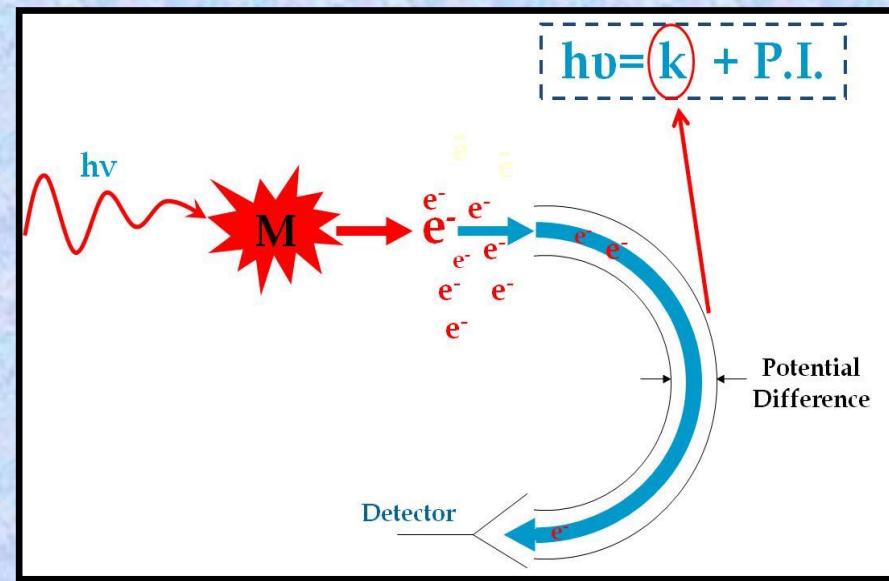
# Secondary Electrons



## METODOLOGIA DE DETECCÃO



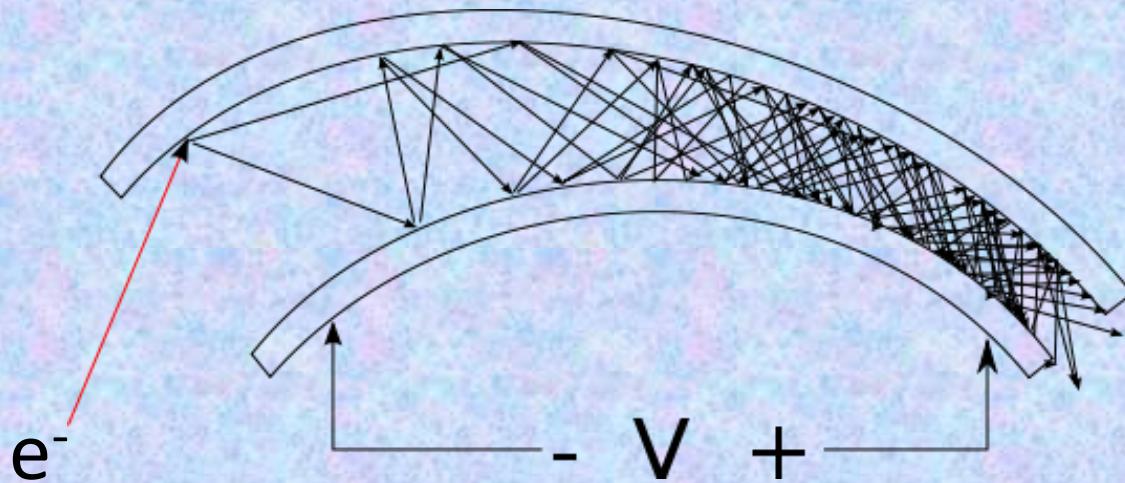
## ANALISADOR HEMISFÉRICO DE $e^-$



# Detectors

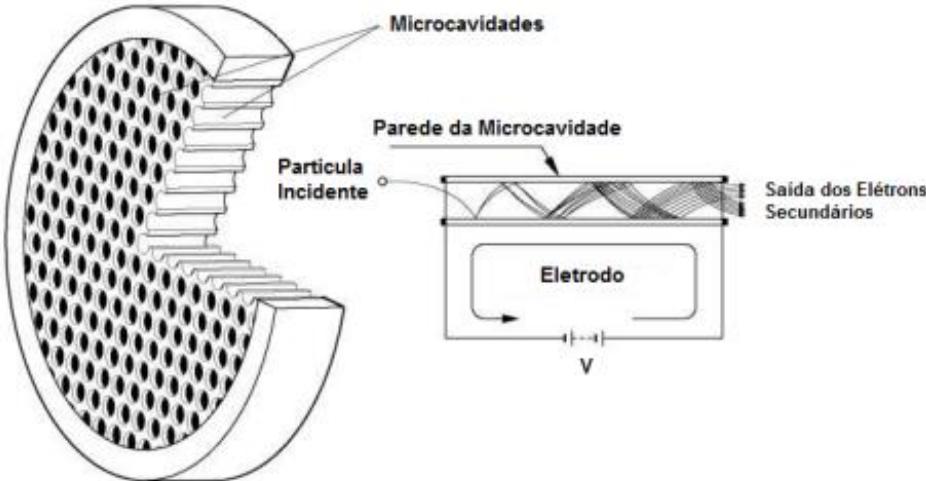
## Channeltron

- Detector Based on Secondary Emission



# Detectors

## Microchannel Plate – (MCP)



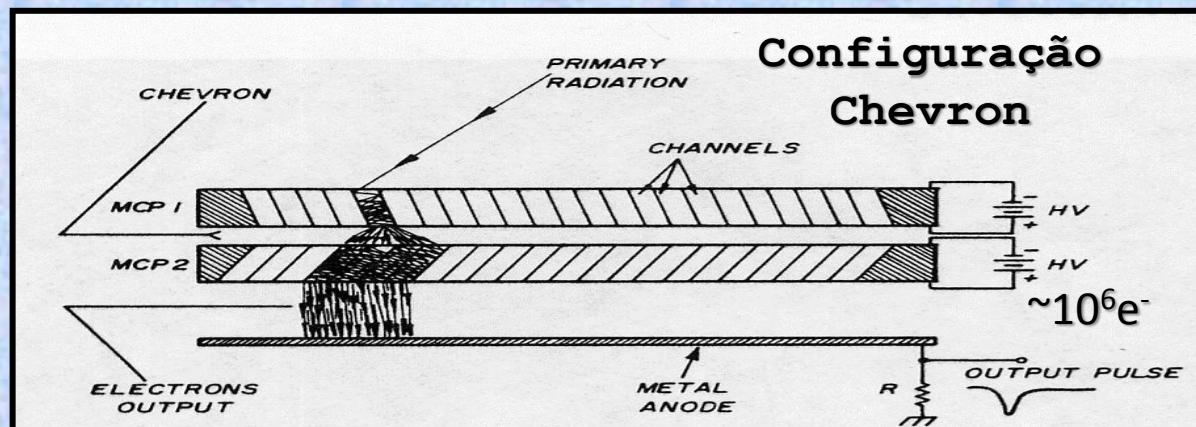
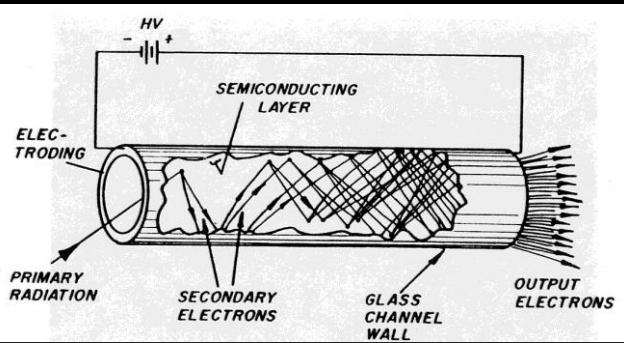
Vidro Chumbo:  $\text{SiO}_2 + \text{Pb}_2\text{O}_3$

$10^4\text{-}10^7$  canais

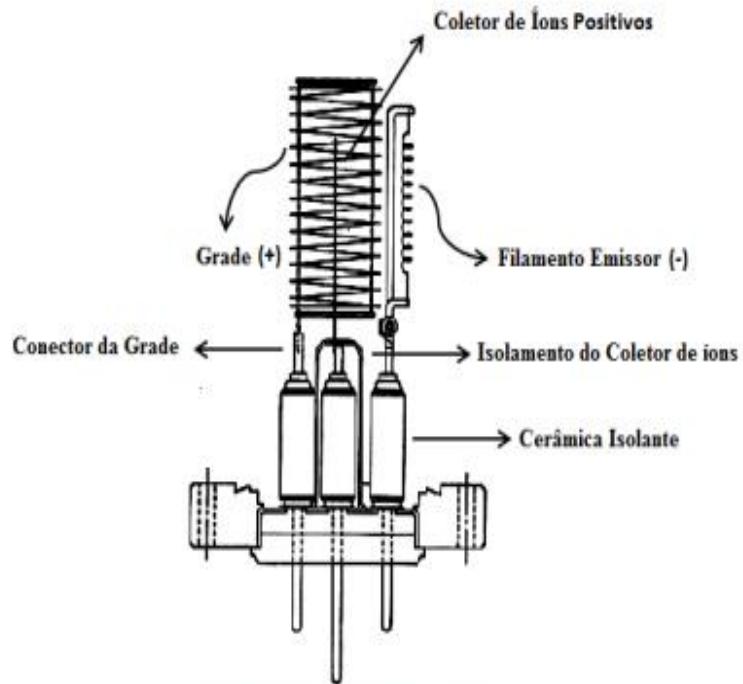
$\varnothing = 10\text{-}100\mu\text{m}$

$t_{res} = 100\text{ps}$

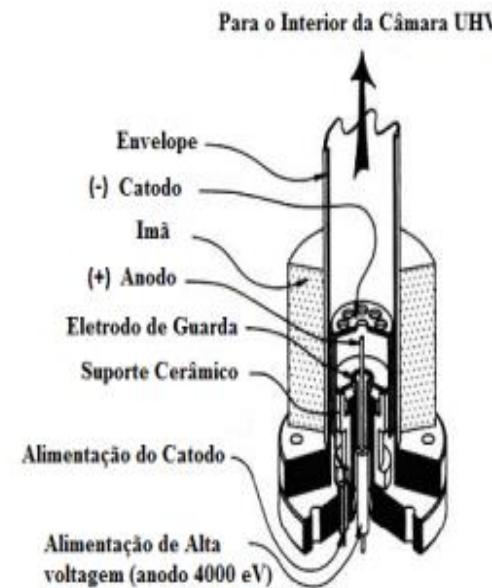
Detests : Electrons , Ionizing Photons and Ions



# Pressure Detectors



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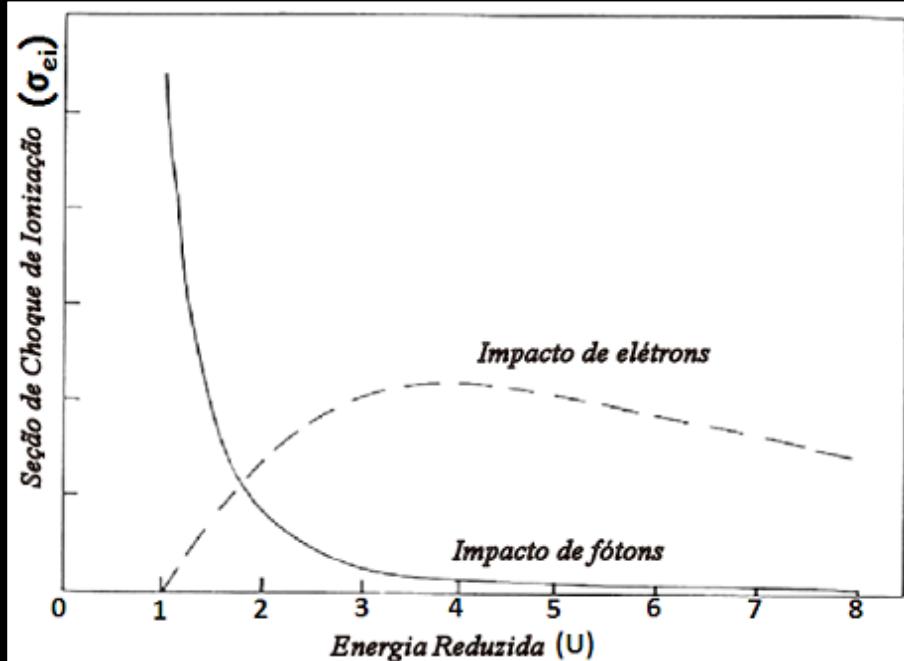
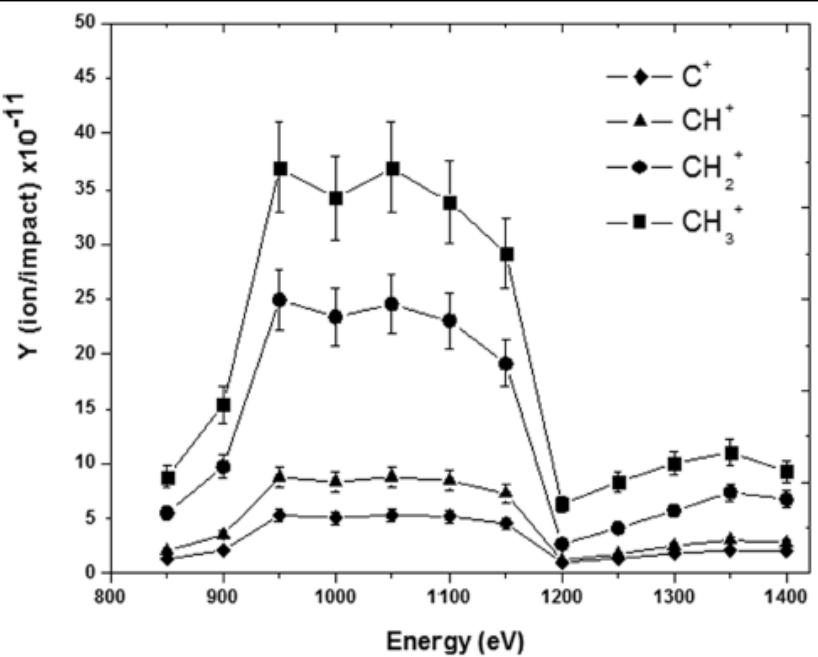


CATODO FRIO



# Rendimento Iônico (Ionic Yield)

$$Y_{e^-} = \frac{A_{ip}}{N_p^0 \cdot N_{e^-}^0}$$



Curvas de Rendimento iônico (800-1400 eV)

$$U = E/E_b$$

# Questions? Comments?



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